- 5. Six representatives from state or local agencies having expertise in agriculture and air quality.
 - 6. An atmospheric scientist.

Task Force nominations must be in writing and provide the the appropriate background documents required by USDA policy. Forms are available from the above contact. Previous nominations should consider the desirability of updating their nominations and must provide the required background disclosures (AD–755) to reaffirm their candidacy. Service as a member of the Task Force shall not constitute employment by, or the holding of an office of the United States for the purpose of any Federal law.

A Task Force member will serve for a term of 2 years, except that members appointed to the initial Task Force shall serve, proportionally for terms of 1 and 2 years, as determined by the Chief of NRCS. No individual may serve more than 2 consecutive 2-year terms as a member of the Task Force. A member of the Task Force shall receive no compensation from the NRCS for the service as a member of the Task Force except as described below.

While away from home or regular place of business of a member of the Task Force, the member will be eligible for travel expenses paid by the NRCS, including per diem in lieu of subsistence, at the same rate as a person employed intermittently in the government service is allowed under section 5703 of title 5, United States code.

Submitting Nominations

Nominations should be typed and should include the following:

- 1. A brief summary of no more than two pages explaining the nominee's suitability to serve on the Agricultural Air Quality Task Force.
 - 2. Resume.
 - 3. A completed copy of form AD-755.
- 4. Send nominations to the address listed earlier in this section.
- 5. Nominations are due post marked no later than 30 days after the date of this announcement.

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NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

National Endowment for the Arts; Arts in Education Advisory Panel

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L 92–463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Arts in Education Advisory Panel (ArtsEdge Section) to the National Council on the Arts will meet on August 23, 1996 from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. The panel will meet in Room M–07, at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20506.

This meeting is for the purpose of application evaluation, under the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities Act of 1965, as amended, including discussion of information given in confidence to the Agency by grant applicants. In accordance with the determination of the Chairman of June 22, 1995, these sessions will be closed to the public pursuant to subsections (c)(4), (6) of section 552b of Title 5, United States Code.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from Ms. Kathy Plowitz-Worden, Panel Coordinator, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC 20506, or call (202) 682–5691.

Dated: August 14, 1996.

Kathy Plowitz-Worden,

Panel Coordinator, National Endowment for the Arts.

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National Endowment for the Arts; National Council on the Arts 128th Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92–463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the National Council on the Arts will be held on September 6, 1996 from 9:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., in Room M–09 at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

This meeting will be open to the public. The swearing in and introduction of new council members will take place at the opening of the meeting, followed by an address by Attorney General, Janet Reno. Other topics of discussion will include a Congressional Update, the FY 98 Budget, and the Council Letter Committee Report. The Division Coordinators will present an overview of the applications, which will be followed by application review and a

report on the American Canvas meetings. Year end updates will be presented by the Deputy Chairman for Grants and Partnership, the Deputy Chairman for Management and Budget, and the Director of Policy, Research and Technology.

If, in the course of discussion, it becomes necessary for the Council to discuss non-public commercial or financial information of intrinsic value, the Council will go into closed session pursuant to subsection (c)(4) of the Government in the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. 552b. Additionally, discussion concerning purely personal information about individuals, submitted with grant applications, such as personal biographical and salary data or medical information, may be conducted by the Council in closed session in accordance with subsection (c)(6) of 5 U.S.C. 552b.

Any interested party may attend, as observers, Council discussions and reviews which are open to the public. If you need special accommodations due to a disability, please contact the Office of AccessAbility, National Endowment for the Arts, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506, 202/682–5532, TTY–TDD 202/682–5429, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

Further information with reference to this meeting can be obtained from the Office of Communications, National Endowment for the Arts, Washington, DC 20506, at 202/682–5570.

Dated: August 15, 1996.

Kathy Plowitz-Worden,

Panel Coordinator, Office of Guidelines and Panel Operations.

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Combined Arts Advisory Meeting

Pursuant to Section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Public Law 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Combined Arts Advisory Panel (Heritage & Preservation Section) to the National Council on the Arts will be held on September 9-12, 1996. The meeting will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on September 9; from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on September 10; from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on September 11; and from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on September 12. This meeting will be held in Room 716, at the Nancy Hanks Center, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20506.

A portion of this meeting will be open to the public from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. on September 12 for a discussion of guidelines and policy related issues.